

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SCHÜLE et al.

Art Unit: 1633

Application No.: 10/561,902

Examiner: HIRIYANNA, Kelaginamane T.

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For: MODULATION OF OSTEOBLAST  
ACTIVITY OF FHL2

Confirmation No.: 5822

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated April 30, 2008, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply, three month(s) to October 30, 2008.

The period for response has previously been extended to

Please charge  the credit card identified in EFS-Web processing or  our deposit account 50-2821 the requisite fees for this petition. Also, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, necessary to maintain pendency of this application to the same deposit account.

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